

### III. Amendments to the Claims

Please cancel claims 1-7. Please amend claims 8-15, and add new claims 16-27 as follows.

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Cancelled)

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6. (Cancelled)

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Currently Amended) A ~~third~~ device holder (~~310~~) comprising:

A) a ~~second~~ strap (~~216~~) having a top end;

B) a circumferential expandable upper holder (~~20U~~) and a circumferential expandable lower holder, wherein said upper and lower circumferential expandable holders are securely attached to ~~top end of the second strap (216) and a circumferential expandable lower holder (20L)~~ securely attached to bottom end of the second strap (216); and

C) a clip securely connected ~~at a bottom end~~ to [a] said top ~~distal~~ end of the ~~first~~ strap (~~116~~).

9. (Currently Amended) The ~~third~~ device holder (310) ~~as described in~~ of claim 8, wherein the ~~second~~ strap (216) comprises a fastener (14) spliced therein.

10. (Currently Amended) The ~~third~~ device holder (310) ~~as described in~~ of claim 9, wherein the fastener (14) comprises a female fastener (14A) and a complimentary configured male fastener (14B).

11. (Currently Amended) The ~~third~~ device holder (310) ~~as described in~~ of claim 8, wherein the clip is ~~a first clip (118) which~~ comprises a ~~first~~ clip loop (118A) and a ~~first~~ clip lever (118B) pivotally mounted on the ~~first~~ clip loop, thereby (118A) forming a closure therebetween.

12. (Currently Amended) The ~~third~~ device holder (310) ~~as described in~~ of claim 8, wherein the ~~first~~ clip lever (118B) comprises a biasing means to automatically make the closure with the ~~first~~ clip loop (118A).

13. (Currently Amended) The ~~third~~ device holder (310) ~~as described in~~ of claim 11 [8], wherein the clip is ~~a second clip (218) which~~ further comprises a ~~second clip loop (218A) and a second clip lever (218B) pivotally mounted on the second clip loop (218A) forming a closure therebetween,~~ a second clip ring (218C) is rotatably connected to the ~~second~~ clip loop (218A) by a ~~second clip shaft (218D).~~

14. (Currently Amended) The ~~third~~ device holder (310) ~~as described in~~ of claim 8, wherein the device is selected from [a] the group consisting of cordless phone, cellular phone, personal data assistant, calculator, pocket personal computer, cassette player, CD ROM player, radio, DVD player, bar code scanner, E.P.I.R.B., light flasher, and flashlight.

15. (Currently Amended) The ~~third~~ device holder (~~310~~) ~~as described in~~ of claim 8, wherein the strap further comprises a bottom end, and wherein said lower holder is coupled to said bottom end at a first secure connection, and ~~an outer edge of the lower holder (20L) is secondly securely connected to the second strap (216)~~ is further coupled to said strap at a second connection between the upper holder (20U) and the first secure connection to form ~~of the lower holder (20L) forming~~ a cradle upon which the device rests ~~upon a lower end of the second strap (216).~~

16. (New) A holder for a cellular phone comprising:

- A) a clip member comprising a loop member;
- B) a strap comprising a top end coupled to said clip member;
- C) circumferentially expandable upper and lower holder members, wherein both said upper and said lower holder members are coupled to the strap.

17. (New) The holder of claim 16 wherein said clip member further comprises a clip lever pivotally coupled to said loop member.

18. (New) The holder of claim 16, wherein said strap further comprises a fastener member comprising a female fastener element and a male fastener element.

19. (New) The cell phone holder of claim 16, wherein the strap further comprises a bottom end, and said lower holder member is coupled to said strap at a first connection and said upper holder is coupled to said strap at a second connection different from said first connection.

20. (New) The cell phone holder of claim 16 wherein said upper holder and said lower holder members each comprise a ring coupled transversely to said strap.

21. (New) The cell phone holder of claim 16 further comprising a cell phone coupled to said holder by said upper and lower holder members.

22. (New) A device holder comprising:

A) a clip member comprising a loop member;

B) a strap comprising a top end coupled to said clip member;

C) at least two circumferentially expandable holder members coupled to said strap in a spaced apart relationship.

23. (New) The device holder of claim 22, wherein the device is selected from the group consisting of cordless phones, cellular phones, personal data assistants, calculators, pocket personal computers, cassette players, CD ROM players, radios, DVD players, bar code scanners, E.P.I.R.B.s, light flashers, and flashlights

24. (New) The device holder of claim 22 wherein said clip member further comprises a clip lever pivotally coupled to said loop member.

25. (New) The holder of claim 22, wherein said strap further comprises a fastener member comprising a female fastener element and a male fastener element.

26. (New) The holder of claim 22, wherein said circumferentially expandable holder members each comprise a ring coupled transversely to said strap.

27. (New) The cell phone holder of claim 22 further comprising a cell phone coupled to said holder by at least two of said circumferentially expandable holder members.